Health & Adults Scrutiny Sub-Committee

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Covid 19 update

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Wards affected	All

Summary

The council and its partners are working hard to prevent and minimise further infections of Covid and reduce risk of future restrictions and lockdown measures. The Council will continue to work with its partners and ensure the local population and the most vulnerable in Tower Hamlets are protected from transmission of Covid 19 and continue to receive the health and care services they need.

A presentation will provide Health and Adults Scrutiny sub-committee (HASC) members with the latest information on the council and its partners response to the current pandemic.

Recommendations:

The Health & Adults Scrutiny Sub-Committee is recommended to:

- 1. Note the latest update on Covid 19 from Public Health and its partners on tackling the pandemic. The focus will be on
 - a. Updates to Tower Hamlets Outbreak Management Plan
 - b. Latest trends on the local vaccination programme
 - c. Variants of Concern and surge testing

1 REASONS FOR THE DECISIONS

1.1 This is only for information and there is no decision linked to this presentation.

2 **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS**

2.1 Not applicable

3 <u>DETAILS OF THE REPORT</u>

- 3.1 A presentation will be provided to HASC with latest information on the current COVID-19 pandemic. To ensure the sub-committee is provided with the most recent information the presentation will be available on the day of the meeting and will focus on the following three areas
 - Updates to Tower Hamlets Outbreak Management Plan
 - · Latest trends on the local vaccination programme
 - Variants of Concern and surge testing in Tower Hamlets

Linked Reports, Appendices and Background Documents

Linked Report

NONE

Appendices

Appendix 1 – Tower Hamlets Outbreak Management Plan

Background Documents – Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements)(Access to Information)(England) Regulations 2012

NONE

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